

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Previously presented) A method for treating chondroma and chondrosarcoma, which comprises administering, to a subject in need thereof, a substance which inhibits binding of parathyroid hormone related peptide to a receptor thereof.

2. (Previously presented) The method according to Claim 1, wherein the substance is an antagonist of the parathyroid hormone related peptide receptor.

3. (Previously presented) The method according to Claim 1, wherein the substance is an anti-parathyroid hormone related peptide antibody.

4. (Previously presented) The method according to Claim 1, wherein the substance is a fragment and/or a modified antibody of an anti-parathyroid hormone related peptide antibody.

5. (Previously presented) The method according to Claim 3, wherein the antibody is a monoclonal antibody.

6. (Previously presented) The method according to Claim 3, wherein the antibody is a humanized or chimerized antibody.

7. (Currently amended) The method according to Claim 6, wherein the humanized antibody is a humanized ~~#23-57-137-1~~ antibody produced by hybridoma clone deposited as FERM BP-5631.

8. (Original) A method of inducing apoptosis in chondroma and chondrosarcoma cells by administering a substance which inhibits binding of parathyroid hormone related peptide and a receptor thereof.

9. (Original) The method according to Claim 8, wherein the substance is an anti-parathyroid hormone related peptide antibody.

10. (New) The method according to Claim 9, wherein the apoptosis is induced through the control of Bcl-2/Bax by the anti-parathyroid hormone regulated peptide antibody.

11. (New) The method according to Claim 9, wherein the apoptosis is induced through the control of caspase 3 by the anti-parathyroid hormone regulated peptide antibody.

12. (New) The method according to Claim 9, wherein the apoptosis is induced *in vivo*.

13. (New) The method according to Claim 9, wherein the apoptosis is induced *in vitro*.